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THE APRIL 28 ARRAIGNMENT OF COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE PHILIPPINES/MARXIST-LENINIST (CPP/ML) LEADER JOSE MA. SISON AND TWO DOZEN OTHER ALLEGED CPP/ML MEMBERS INVOLVED IN THE 1972 "M/V KARAGATAN" CASE HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL MAY 5. A NUMBER OF SISON'S CODEFENDENTS, PRESENTLY AT LIBERTY, FAILED TO APPEAR IN COURT AT THE SCHEDULED TIME. THE CHARGES AGAINST SISON AND THE OTHERS STEM FROM AN ABORTIVE CPP/ML ATTEMPT TO SMUGGLE WEAPONS INTO THE PHILIPPINES IN 1972 (REFTEL). THE TRIAL WILL BE CONDUCTED BEFORE MILITARY COMMISSION 24, PRESIDED OVER BY COL. GABRIEL VICTORIA. STULL

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